

Wingham. Sept. 25. 1844.

Dear Sir,

I am authorised by my friend, Mr. Thomas Simons, to express to you his desire, that all unpleasant feelings and recollections may be mutually forgotten, and that you will attend with his family the funeral solemnities of his daughter.

Compliance, dear sir, on your part, I am persuaded, would afford a kind mitigation of the distress mutually experienced under the present melancholy visitation of divine Providence, and be very gratefully considered by

Your friend and brother,  
with much respect.  
Joseph Richardson

Mr. Caleb Bates.



Mr. Caleb Bates  
Hingham